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Title: **A System And Method For Automatically Securing Data For Transmission**

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Dear Sir:

Attached is a new patent application for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office including ten (10) pages of Specification, ten (10) pages of Claims (numbered 1-76), one (1) page Abstract, four (4) sheets of Drawings (labeled Figs. 1-4), and executed Joint Declaration and an Assignment.

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